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HAS NOT SOLD.

Thos. Powers Hasn't Disposed Of His Tobacco—Plan To Have A S. E. Meetings Here.

The News gladly publishes the following communication it has received from Thomas Powers, of Patesville:

"I see in your issue of December 12 you state that the local agent of the American Tobacco Company bought the following crops of dark tobacco yesterday, at \$6, \$6, \$2, J. D. Isome, 6,000 pounds; H. S. Kinkadee, 9,000; Geo. Curry 1,500; Thos. Powers, 5,000. "Now, Mr. Editor, you state that only one of the four that sold is a member of the American Society of Equity. As I am the one of the four that you say sold and I am the one that is a member of said society I wish to correct you in said statement. I positively hereby deny that I have sold any of said tobacco or authorized any one to sell for me, and will say that I am pledged with my local union to hold for the price of \$8 for leaf, \$8 for lines and \$8 for trash, and will say that you will confer a great favor by correcting your statement in your next issue."

The News was informed by Mr. J. D. Isome, on Tuesday morning of last week, that the above crops had been sold. It regrets publishing the error concerning Mr. Powers' crop to the degree it takes a pleasure in correcting the error. It thanks Mr. Powers for this statement, because it is glad that not even this one member of the Society has sold his tobacco, and because it feels sure that with men like this in a farmers' combine, it is the combine that is going to win.

Plan Big Local Meetings. At the county meeting of tobacco growers at Hardinsburg January 7, it will be proposed that a time be set for a general meeting in Cloverport for the purpose of selecting this city as a place for monthly meetings of every local union of the A. S. of E. in Hancock and Breckenridge counties. Some of these unions are as follows: Hite's Run, McGavock's, Hardin's, Pigeon, Persimmon Flat, Baldtown, Tani's, Duke's, Hawesville No. 1 and No. 2, Gering No. 1, Patesville No. 1.

HER MOTHER'S DARLING.



Dimple May Gibson, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gibson, of McDaniels; born June 10, 1904.

An Emergency Medicine. For sprains, bruises, burns, scalds and similar injuries, there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It soothes the wound and not only gives instant relief from pain, but causes the parts to heal in about one third the time required by the usual treatment. Sold by Short & Haynes.

LYONS HELD OVER.

Marshall Orfillo DeHaven and Judge J. H. Willis went to Hardinsburg Friday to attend the trial of Frank Lyons, a Hardinsburg negro who was arrested here for stealing a horse from John Kennedy, of near that place. An examining trial was waived and Lyons was held over to the grand jury. He was unable to give a bond of \$100 and was reconfined to jail.

GILLILAND RESIGNS.

It will be news to many of our readers to know that Geo. W. Gilliland, of Owensboro, United States deputy marshal for this district, has resigned the office and has been succeeded by C. C. Nichols, of Owensboro. Mr. Gilliland has made quite a number of arrests in this county.

WED AT HARNED.

Marriage Miss Bessie Eskridge And Mr. Allen M. Weatherford At Home Of The Bride.

Hardinsburg, Ky., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—On Wednesday, December 21, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Green, near Harned, Miss Bessie Eskridge was united in marriage to Mr. Allen M. Weatherford. The Rev. J. T. Lewis, of Irvington, performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. After receiving congratulations, the bride and groom were driven to the home of Mr. Arch Weatherford, where supper was given them and a few invited guests.

The bride is the daughter of the late Judge Eljah Eskridge and a sister to Mr. Morris Eskridge, the well known attorney. She is a charming young woman with a wide circle of friends. Mr. Weatherford is a son of Mr. Arch Weatherford and is a promising young farmer and business man, and is connected with the best families of the county. Among those present at the wedding were Mr. J. P. Haswell, H. M. Escribano, Louisville, Miss Nannie Board, Frank Haswell and Miss Bettie Haswell, of Arcola, Ill., L. W. Williams, New Orleans, La. The young couple will reside at Harned.

TO ENTERTAIN.

Miss Louise Babbage will entertain Thursday evening in honor of David Ditto, of West Point, Fred Ditto, of Brandenburg, and Wallace Babbage and J. D. Babbage, Jr.

Miss Maude Polk will entertain this afternoon from 2 to 5 in honor of Miss Versa Ryan, of Toinsport, Ind.

Miss Jennie Mabel Harris will entertain the younger set at her home Friday evening.

Misses Ella and Jane Smith will entertain informally Saturday evening.

Miss Margaret Moorman will entertain Friday afternoon.

Misses Anna and Edna Jarboe will entertain this evening.

WAR ON WINDOWS.

Some persons made war Thursday night on glass in windows and elsewhere. A missile was sent through a plate glass window in the Masonic Temple, making a small hole and cracking the glass, a smaller window was shattered, and a large rock was hurled through a window at T. F. Sawyer's wallpaper store. A pistol was used to destroy a street lamp at the corner of First and High streets. A couple of bread baskets were taken from the English Kitchen and dropped into Clover creek, the same night, probably by the same parties. The parties have not been apprehended.

TWIN TOBACCO LEAVES.

J. Fladger Carter brought to the News office last week twin tobacco leaves, or, in other words, a tobacco stem with two large leaves on it. Each leaf, in its growth, has clung very closely to the stem, one being on each side. The freak is one of Mr. Carter's growth. He says he has never seen nor heard of anything like it.

The twin tobacco leaves are on exhibit at the News office.

SICK IN CITY JAIL.

Levi Blanchard, of Louisville, and Jas. Bladford, of Paris, Ky., were provided with food and shelter in the city several days last week. Blanchard was ill of dropsy and his heart was badly affected. He remained in the jail while here and was attended by a physician paid by the city. Both men were furnished with transportation to Louisville, where they went Thursday morning.

Blanchard and Bladford were returning from Owensboro, where they went in search of work. As they got without money when here they asked the city for help.

DECIDES TO RUN.

C. E. Lightfoot, at the solicitation of friends, has decided to make the race for sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Mr. Lightfoot will shortly make his public announcement for his candidacy for the office. He has been an efficient official when he was once city marshal of Cloverport, and would make a good man for sheriff.

LEAVES MANY CREDITORS.

C. M. Clark, Poultry Buyer, Skips the County, Owing \$3,482.69 to Nearly Forty Victims of Swindle.

HIS BIG OPERATIONS AT IRVINGTON.

C. M. Clark, of Pittsburg, Pa., present whereabouts unknown, has just swindled something like thirty-eight creditors in this and adjoining counties out of sums aggregating in value \$3,482.69. For about two weeks Clark's base of operations was at Irvington. He sent agents up and down both the main and the branch lines of the Henderson Route and they bought poultry in large quantities. J. B. Buge, of Irvington, being Clark's manager and solicitor Clark paid cash for a large part of the poultry he bought but he did not pay for several thousand dollars worth, and he shipped more away from Irvington than he left there to pay his creditors. Clark left the county on last Thursday, and the result is that a sale of his stuff will be made next Thursday for the benefit of his disagreeably surprised creditors, who are the unsuspecting victims of the biggest swindle of its kind in the history of this part of the State.

Clark came to Irvington nearly three weeks ago. He established a poultry station and deposited \$2,500 in the First State Bank at Irvington. He sent out his buyers, and for a week or more thousands of eggs, chickens, turkeys and geese poured into Irvington by wagons and by trains from throughout the country for miles in every direction. Clark paid Louisville prices and cash down for all the stuff he bought direct from the farmers, and they sold readily. But, at many towns, he had the merchants to buy for him from the farmers in their vicinities. He paid them for the first shipments they made to him, but left Irvington before he paid for the last ones, and he also went away with \$200 belonging to the First State Bank, and that is why the climax came Saturday afternoon. When Deputy Sheriff H. M. Beard, of Hardinsburg, closed up Clark's establishment under an attachment issued by the First State Bank.

Clark soon drew out by checks the \$2,500 he had deposited in the First State Bank, to pay for the first shipments of poultry. He then drew out \$500 on a draft on a Cincinnati bank. He presented a second draft for \$500, with a bill of lading for one of the cars of poultry he had shipped to be attached. He kept the original bill of lading and gave the duplicate to the bank. The bank paid his checks amounting to \$398, but before it did paid all the amount of the draft it received a message from the Cincinnati bank stating that Clark had drawn out all his money there.

In the meantime, Clark got ready to make one of the best plays in his swindling scheme. He left Irvington on the late train Thursday night and came to Cloverport. Here he met Mr. Biggs, who was not any wiser than the victims of his swindles as to Clark's intentions. He told Mr. Biggs to rig to Irvington and continue to con-

duct the business and told him that he (Clark) had to go on a trip to look after cars of poultry which he had shipped. Clark left this city on the 5:30 morning train Friday and has not been heard of or seen since. He left his grip and some other belongings at Irvington and it did not look, of course, as though he intended to skip.

Friday the First State Bank received a message from the Cincinnati bank stating that Clark had been there in person, presented the original bill of lading and withdrawn all his money, before the check of the First State Bank for \$500 reached Cincinnati. On receiving this news the bank had Deputy Sheriff Beard to close Clark's establishment. The town was all excitement as soon as the thing was made known, and those who had claims against Clark were looking up a way to get in on the first floor.

This list of claims made against Clark is as follows: First State Bank, Irvington, \$398; Peter Sherran Bros. & Co., Kirk, \$773.20; B. F. Beard & Co., Hardinsburg, \$138.81; Joseph Teaff, Hardinsburg, \$65.91; Atkinson & Co., Fordville, \$245; E. F. Lyons & Bro., Vandy, \$65.51; Lee Rhodes, Paynesville, \$200; D. S. Richardson, Union Star, \$60; W. J. Schopp, Stephentown, \$107.98; T. A. Gray, Garfield, \$166.65; W. C. Moorman, Glendale, \$452.32; E. M. Davis, West View, \$43.78; Wade Pile, Mook, \$65; R. T. Snell, Lost Run, \$20.30; Sam Henderson, West View, \$7.99; J. Gardner & Co., Irvington, \$16.34; C. F. Redman, \$97.74; D. S. Richardson, Brandenburg, \$100; D. S. Childs, Exron, \$87.92; A. M. McClure, Union Star, \$28.30; D. C. Alexander, Brandenburg, \$78.57; \$70.60; A. T. Voss, Brandenburg, \$8.35; A. C. Marshall, Guston, \$30.97; W. E. Hardin, Louisville, \$48.35; R. J. Board & Co., Bolt, \$14.20; G. W. Thompson, Irvington, \$30.20; R. Blythe, Irvington, \$20.20; J. W. Kendall, Irvington, \$4; J. T. Drane & Co., West View, \$44.67; S. T. Rice, Ashlin, \$10.20; W. Handley, Paynesville, \$70.14; T. P. Cuffield, Guston, \$9.12; R. S. Sandy, Irvington, \$65.41; F. Fraize, Cloverport, \$25.35; G. W. Wilson, Hawesville, \$27; Pell Bros., Lewisport, \$54.90.

Attachments for the first ten claims named have been filed in circuit court against the poultry left at Irvington by Clark, and the others, with one exception, were filed in Squire Jolly's court at Irvington. The exception is the largest claim, that of W. C. Moorman, which was filed in the United States court at Cincinnati, asking bankruptcy proceedings and thus annulling the attachments. The attorneys of the claimants agreed Thursday to have a sale of the poultry left at Irvington for the benefit of all the creditors. The value of the stuff Clark didn't get away is estimated to be far below the sum due his creditors. None of the fowls sold can be identified by the merchants as all were turned loose in a common lot.

DEATH ENDS UNTOLD SUFFERINGS OF MRS. BROWN, OF NEARSAMPLE.

Death came, at about 10 o'clock yesterday morning, and ended the untold sufferings of Mrs. Letcher Brown, of near Sample. Since December 1, she had hovered between life and death, as the result of serious burns she received about the body on that date while trying to rescue her children from their burning home. It was thought by her physician, just after the fire, that she could not live more than a few days. For days her condition was critical and her life was in jeopardy. But in a week or so she improved some and it was thought by some she might recover. Recently she grew worse until death came. Mrs. Brown's death marked the close of one of the saddest events of

its kind in the history of the county, two of her children having lost their lives as a result of burns received in the fire.

The funeral will be held today and the interment will be at Sample.

T. F. OWEN DEAD.

Thos. F. Owen, a son of Judge W. T. Owen, of Owensboro, and a native of Breckenridge county, died in Owensboro Monday afternoon. He was forty-two years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Babbage and little son, Henry, came up from Owensboro Sunday to visit relatives.

Roy Heyner came home from Charlotte, N. C., to spend Christmas.

MANY WEDDINGS.

Sam Dix A Benedict-Chas Ryan's Secret Marriage-A Surprise Wedding At Webster.

Mr. Sam Dix, of Stephentown, and Miss Daisy Addison, of Clifton Mills, were married Thursday evening, in the presence of a few friends and relatives, by the Rev. W. V. Harrel. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mrs. Maria Addison and the groom is a prosperous farmer and merchant of Stephentown and one of the best known men of the county.

Married In July.

Chas. Ryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan, of this city, was married, on July 28, to Miss Sophia Lee Housland, daughter of Wm. Housland, a merchant of Basket, but their wedding was not made public until the first of this week, when they were here visiting his relatives. They will go in the spring to Madisonville, where Mr. Ryan has bought a half interest in a barber shop and where they will reside.

Surprised Friends.

Myrtle, Ky., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The marriage of Malcolm Robinson, of Louisville, and Miss Jessie Cary, of Webster, is a surprise to their many friends in this vicinity.

Wife-Booth.

Bewleyville, Ky., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Mr. A. Miller and Miss Etta Dowell were married at the home of the bride Sunday afternoon.

DOUBLE WEDDING.

Patesville, Ky., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Several from here attended the double wedding, at Bethlehem, Sunday, of Miss Anna Lynch, and Fletcher Pauley, of Cloverport; and Miss Minnie Powers, of Goering, and Harvey Basham, of Duke.

SOPER-HIX.

John F. Hix and Miss Laura Soper, prominent young people of Kirk, Breckenridge county, came down Sunday night and were married in Cannelton Monday morning.—Hancock Clarion.

THE ORANGE SALESMAN.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 24, 1904. Mr. E. C. Babbage, Cloverport, Ky., Dear Mr. Babbage:—We are glad to hand you, under another cover, a very handsome Christmas present, viz, a gold watch, and, at the same time, crown you "The Orange Salesman", you having been the most successful salesman on oranges to country trade. We hope this may be an incentive for your work the coming year of 1905 and that you may be as successful in other undertakings as you have been in this particular race.

Again complimenting you on victory in this race, and with compliments of the season, we are, Yours very truly,

American Grocery Co.

SPECIAL MEETING.

The city council held a special meeting Friday night to make provision for extra police protection during a part of the holidays and to consider the matter of lighting the city with gasoline. J. M. Gregory and J. C. Weatherholt were appointed extra duty marshals and Horace Newton night marshal.

The gasoline lights that are proposed for lighting the streets are cheaper and as effective as electric lights, it is said. The proposition is from a Chicago company, its process of lighting being a new invention. The matter is being considered by the street committee, and it will likely be reported on at the regular meeting on January 2.

CORRECTION.

Irvington, Ky., Dec. 26, 1904. Mr. John Babbage, Dear Friend: I am sorry you and other friends have been misled by a statement from the Irvington correspondent that I was the recipient of a horse and buggy for such is not my good luck. The correspondent could not discriminate between a jest and facts. The horse and buggy was only a velocipede for my grandson. Please correct this mistake in your next paper. Am sorry your congratulations were misplaced.

Oblige your friend
Bate Washington.

HAS RETURNED.

After An Unusual Experience In Mountains—Proctor Keith's Trip To Perry County.

J. Proctor Keith, of the firm of J. E. Keith & Son, returned on Tuesday night of last week from Hazard, Ky., where he spent about a month doing stone work on a building to be occupied by the Bank of Hazard. There was extra stone work to be done on the building than was called for in the contract, and as Mr. Keith wished to avoid trouble, which he foresaw over the pay for the work, he left Hazard on Sunday a week ago. A week before he left he declared his intention of leaving and heard soon afterwards that his life would be in danger if he attempted to do so. This hastened his departure from Hazard, which he made secretly on foot.

Mr. Keith worked about three weeks on the building to complete the contract. He then saw that there was more work than was called for in plans. He then asked that he be paid daily wages for his work instead of the contract price. He stated his intention of quitting the work if this was not done, and the bank people told him they would attach his clothes and tools if he did so, and a man told him "they said they guessed a couple of forty-fives would hold him" if he tried to get away. They agreed to pay for extra work done, and he worked another week. Then, on Saturday a week ago, he asked them how much they were going to give him for extra work done and they said they would see about that when the work was completed. He was not pleased with this prospect, knew that he was not being treated right, and did not like to remain in a community where his life had been threatened. So on Sunday he left Hazard, escaping on foot to Jackson, a distance of forty miles. There he took a train for Cloverport. He sent his clothes in a wagon.

There were no guns drawn on Mr. Keith while he was at Hazard, and he worked for a week to avoid trouble, and not because he was forced to. He was not paid for his work, and \$30 of his money deposited in the Bank of Hazard is still there.

A BRIGHT LITTLE BOY.



Garland Sheldon Bruner. The seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Bruner, of Union Star.

HAS STOOD THE TEST 25 YEARS. The old, original GILROY'S Tasterless Chiff Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is pure and genuine in a tasteful form. No more pay, 50c.

ORDER WAS GOOD.

Though large crowds were in town the latter part of last week there was very good order, and it was not necessary for Marshal DeHaven and his deputies to make any arrests. There were a number of plain drunks but the parties who were on the outside of the liquor were gently escorted to their homes. There seemed to be much drinking. One very high wind-up at Shawneetown, Ky. Saturday morning with \$100 in his pocket belonging to his friends which was to be converted into whisky to be returned on the afternoon train.

BROTHER MURDERED.

Mr. J. E. Rushing, a brother of Rev. J. T. Rushing, presiding elder of the M. E. church, South, Owensboro district, was murdered, last week, by Mr. Curry, his partner in business at Shawneetown, Ill. Curry was drunk at the time, and the feeling is very high against him at Shawneetown. Curry is now trying to starve himself to death and his attorneys say his mental condition is abnormal. His examining trial has been put off until January 10, 1905.

CASTORIA.

Beaumont, Tex., Dec. 27. The kind you have always bought. *Castoria*

Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, December 28, 1901

RICH FURNITURE

Man's Niece, Miss Katie Burns, Of
H. Anderson, Bride Of Eugene
Tatum, Of This City.

Mr. Eugene Tatum, of this city, was married, last Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, to Miss Katie Burns, of Henderson. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Robert Burns, at Henderson. It was a quiet home affair, there being no attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Tatum returned to this city Wednesday afternoon on the 4:48 train. Mr. Tatum's brother, Weaver Tatum, attended the wedding from this city.

Miss Burns is a niece of Amos Rhodes, of Louisville. Mr. Rhodes is a member of the firm of the Rhodes-Burford Furniture Company, which has the largest store of its kind in Louisville. Mr. Rhodes is one of the leading furniture dealers of the country, he and Mr. Buford having large branch furniture stores in Southern cities.

Mr. Tatum has the position of car-knocker at the L. & E. St. L. shops, and is a well-known young man. He came to this city from Morgantown about three years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Tatum will reside on the north side of Fourth street, in the West End. Mr. Tatum formerly boarded at the Squires House.

Grip Quickly Knocked Out.

Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of grippe, with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Eggleston of Maple Landing, Iowa. Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stepped up, eyes and nose running, with a terrible sense of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, adding the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon complete knocked out the grip. These Tablets promote a healthy action of the bowels, liver and kidneys which is always beneficial when the system is congested by a cold or attack of the grip. For sale by Short & Haynes.

OFFICIAL CANVASS.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—The official canvass of the votes cast for president on November 5th, was completed today when the result was announced in Minnesota, North Dakota and Washington. The official total of all forty-five states is 12,298,195, against 13,968,571 in 1900, a decrease of 1,670,376.

Roosevelt received 7,627,632 votes and Parker 5,689,034. Of the seven candidates for president Roosevelt received over all, 1,746,750 votes and over Parker 2,517,578. Roosevelt carried thirty states against twenty-eight carried by McKinley in 1900, and has 376 electoral votes under the apportionment of 1900. McKinley had 292 under the apportionment of 1880, there having been an additional twenty-nine by the last apportionment.

Parker carried thirteen states and has 140 electoral votes.

Bryan carried seventeen states in 1900 and had 155 electoral votes.

TAKE WINE OF CARDUI AT HOME

Are you a sufferer?
Has your doctor been unsuccessful?
Wouldn't you prefer to treat yourself—AT HOME?

Nearly 1,000,000 women have brought Wine of Cardui from their druggists and have cured themselves at home, of such troubles as periodical bearing down and ovarian pain, leucorrhoea, nervousness, dizziness, nausea and constipation, caused by female weakness. These are not easy cases. Wine of Cardui cures when the doctor can't.

Wine of Cardui does not irritate the organs. There is no pain in the treatment. It is a soothing tonic of healing herbs, free from strong and drastic drugs. It is successful because it cures in a natural way.

Wine of Cardui can be bought from your druggist at \$1.00 a bottle and you can begin this treatment today. Will you try it?

For cases requiring special directions, please give symptoms. The Ladies' Health Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Wakeful?

Sleeplessness Is a Sign of Nerve Trouble and Should Be Looked To.

There are three different manifestations of sleeplessness.

First, barely to sleep a wink all night, second, to lie awake a long time before falling asleep; third, to fall asleep soon, waking up after several hours and then find it hard to sleep again.

They mean that somewhere in the nerve system, somewhere in the brain cells, somewhere in the blood vessels that carry blood to the brain, something is radically wrong, and must be rectified, or the end may be worse than death.

To right it, take Dr. Miles' Nervine.

Some other symptoms of nerve trouble are: Dizziness, Trembling, Backache, "Worry," Profuseness, Irritability, Melancholy, Lack of Ample Sleep, etc. They indicate disease which may lead to Epilepsy, Palsy, St. Vitus' Dance, Nervous Prostration, Paralysis, Insanity. Nothing will give such quick and reliable relief as Dr. Miles' Nervine.

"My husband had been sick for weeks, could not get up to have his bed made. With all the medical help we could get he could not get better. His grown-up daughter, who is a nurse, tried to get him to sleep or eat. Our baby girl was sent away, and all efforts failed. He could not stand a bit of talk. I tried to get him to eat, but he would not. In a few days he was able to get up, and in a few days he was able to get up, and in a few days he was able to get up. Nervine saved his life."

Write to us for Free Trial Package of Dr. Miles' Nervine. Also symptoms blank. Our Specialized Nervine cases tell you what is wrong, and how to right it. LABORATORIES, ELKHART, IND.

BIGGEST EVER.

Total Foreign Commerce For 1901
The Largest In History--A
Decrease In Exports.

According to the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor, the total foreign commerce for the calendar year about to end will exceed that of any previous year. The total exports will probably fall slightly below those of last year, and the years 1900 and 1901, but the total imports will materially exceed those of any year in the past. The great bulk of exports and imports combined will be the largest in history.

For the 11 months ended with November the imports amount to \$909,000,000 against \$918,000,000 for 1900. The total of exports for the 11 months is about \$5,000,000 below the figure for 1900 and \$23,000,000 below those of 1901. The decrease of \$5,000,000 is considered a very insignificant one in face of the decrease of \$91,000,000 in the exports of bread stuffs alone, which was almost made up by the decrease in other products.

Boys and Girls

Meet with many accidents during Christmas celebrations. Paracarmel relieves instantly Burns, Cuts and bruises and heals without leaving any scars. So, mothers, be sure to keep a bottle of Paracarmel in your home.

VOTE OF OTHER YEARS.

McClellan in 1864 polled 433,568 more votes than Dr. Dimes in 1863. 568 more votes than Seymour in 1868. 900,800 more votes than McClellan in 1864.

Greely in 1872 polled 124,264 more votes than Seymour in 1868.

Tilden in 1876 polled 1,480,806 more votes than Greely in 1872.

Hancock in 1880 polled 13,139 more votes than Tilden in 1876.

Cleveland in 1884 polled 663,957 more votes than Hancock in 1880.

Cleveland in 1888 polled 626,210 more votes than Cleveland in 1884.

Cleveland in 1892 polled 18,675 more votes than Cleveland in 1888.

Bryan in 1896 polled 141,792 fewer votes than Cleveland in 1892.

Parker in 1900 polled about 1,250,000 fewer votes than Bryan in 1896, nearly 1,500,000 fewer votes than Bryan in 1892.

about 437,000 fewer votes than Cleveland in 1892, about 418,000 fewer votes than Cleveland in 1888, and 1,200,000 more votes than Cleveland in 1884.

From 1860 to 1900 the Democratic party gained votes in every national election. In 1876, in 1884, in 1892, and 1896 it polled a plurality of the popular vote, and in 1880 Hancock fell only 7,000 behind Garfield.

AUSTIN'S LATEST POEM.

British Poet Laureate's View of War in For East England "Nemesis."

The poet laureate in a recent number publishes the following lines by Mr. Alfred Austin, the poet laureate of England, written at the Chateau de Switzerland:

NEMESIS.

Still surging, surging, surging onward
Were behind, were before,
Hamm's little battles rolling to War,
Innate shore.

Curving, swelling, breaking, reforming
Ever prolonged the war,
Wending, they know not whether or way
To die, as their kin have died.

From walling matron and weeping son
In famishing homes,
Roofless, sleepless, homeless, dreading
The will of the war.

But sloughing the ravages of grief
And wailing, the scene of war
And grating on thoughts and things that
Were the things and the thoughts that
Were the things and the thoughts that
Were the things and the thoughts that

An ancient people, impelled by wrath at
Smart of a triple wrong.
Than doggedly dauntless yet dauntless
More, than colossal strength more
And strength, and passed and clamber
Cliffs that only the thunderous
The granite Muscovite ranks are
attered and scattered like drifting
snow.

And the strong young set of yet young
are keeps watch, but with war
ruled.
And British athletes' maddest stand at
the fortress gates of the world.
While Nemesis's hands find plumed
with the wings of death.

And the scolding slith skulks snowward
more with the feet of Fate at its
heel.
And high in heaven seers right divine,
still holds the scepter and rod.
And worshippers throng to Buddhist
shrines, praying the will of God.

Society's Pleasures.

Since the magnificent times of the
Roman empire there has never been a
period when people have been so over-
fed, overindulged and overstimulated
as the imperial London of today—
Lady's Pictorial.

War is Waste.

From Cincinnati Post.

Some figures concerning the cost of the war between Japan and Russia are of timely interest.

Japan negotiated some time ago a loan of \$50,000,000. It was subscribed in England and in the United States. The loan was floated at about 80 per cent, and the bonds bear 6 per cent interest, making the actual interest about 7 per cent. She is now floating another loan of \$60,000,000 at about the same figures, besides a domestic loan of \$40,000,000.

As security for the \$110,000,000 borrowed abroad Japan pledges her customs.

But the Japanese Government estimates that the cost of the first year's fighting will reach \$180,000,000. The customs being pledged, Japan must lay an excessive burden on her taxpayers to make up the first year's deficit and provide for future operations.

In other words, Japan in one year has about reached the limit of her credit.

If Port Arthur should fall while the second loan is being floated some of the Japanese bonds might be sold for as much as 95, but the saving would be only a drop in the bucket.

Meantime Russia is in the market for a loan of \$240,000,000. She must also pay big interest and discount her bonds. She has about used up the millions of gold she has been hoarding for years for a war contingency. The chest is nearly empty and she must impair her credit and put a financial burden upon her people which they are ill fitted to bear.

Adding the loans of the two countries, we have an aggregate of \$420,000,000 for one year's war.

But then direct expenditure of money is only half the loss. Millions of property is destroyed. The withdrawal of half a million men from wealth-producing labor is a staggering item of waste.

And all this takes no account of the loss of human life and the depletion of the best blood of Japan and Russia.

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DIDN'T KNOW THEM.

He leaned against the newsstand of the Fifth Avenue hotel and stroked his gray beard as he watched the clerk handing out copies of the current number of a popular magazine as rapidly as possible, says the New York World.

"What are the people buying that book for?" he asked.

"Oh, it's got a long place in it about Lawson," said the clerk, affixing out another magazine.

"Lawson—Who's Lawson?" asked the stranger.

"Well, I say, are you kidding?" and the clerk leaned over in amazement.

"No," declared the stranger, "Who is he?"

"Oh, he ain't anybody but Tom Lawson, and he's just paralyzing that Standard Oil bunch, say, uncle, did you ever hear of Cassie Chadwick?"

"No, I never heard of him either."

The clerk gasped. "Say are there any newspapers in your town?"

"Certainly," replied the stranger indignantly.

"Well, where do you live—in Concord?"

"No sir," said the stranger, moving away, "I'm a resident of Boston."

A Certain Cure for Croup.

When a child shows symptoms of croup there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended. There is one preparation that can always be depended upon. It has been in use for many years and has never been known to fail. It is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mr. M. P. Compton of Market, Texas, says of it, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in severe cases of croup with my children, and can testify to its prompt relief." For sale by Short & Haynes.

TOTAL ADMISSIONS.

The official report of the directors of concessions and admissions of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition have been made public. The report shows that the total recorded admissions for the period of the Exposition from April 30 to December 1, inclusive, was 10,694,855; of these, 12,804,516 were paid and 6,990,239 were free. The free admissions included from 20,000 to 30,000 workmen who were admitted daily for several weeks to complete the work of construction of buildings and installation of exhibits. In the recorded admissions, no days are taken into account, that day having no relationship to the official records of the Exposition.

WORLD CO-OPERATION.

The idea of co-operation among farmers is becoming universal, says Up-To-Date Farming, and the other classes that have so completely selfish their interests may well wonder if they have not taught their lesson too well. Word comes from distant, and distracted, and d-d-potic Russia, that the farmers of that unhappy country are rapidly forming co-operative organizations. There are now 229 such organizations in European Russia, say the dispatches, and their number is rapidly growing. These associations are devoted to the securing of better prices for farm products, the buying of supplies at wholesale, the improvement of farms and agriculture, and the general uplift of agriculture. With the world of rural life in close co-operative combination, other companies may use a microscope to discover their own insignificance.

Fight Will Be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles. It will not end earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Miss., has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and she had improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her. Guaranteed by Short & Haynes, Druggists. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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CONGRESS ADJOURNS.

After a session of four minutes' duration, the Senate, last Wednesday, adjourned, at 12:04 p. m., until January 4 next. The House adjourned at 12:39 o'clock until January 4.

Out of His Line.
Crawford—I say, if you are so smart at problems, tell me how far off thunder is when you hear the first roll. Calculator—I can't do that, sir. Crawford—You can't! Calculator—No, I'm the lightning calculator.

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WEDNESDAY, December 28, 1904.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce Henry
Bellenger as a candidate for
County Judge of the 10th district,
subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce Dr. J. W.
Knox, of Hancock county, as a candidate
for State Senator from this, the 10th district,
composed of the counties of Hancock, Breck-
enridge and Macon, subject to the action of
the Democratic party.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce R. W.
Owen, of Hancock county, a candidate
for State Senator from this, the 10th district,
composed of the counties of Hancock, Breck-
enridge and Macon, subject to the action of
the Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce Selby H.
McCracken as a candidate for Representa-
tive from Breckenridge county, subject to
the action of the Democratic party.

Mr. Lucien J. Irwin, General Freight
and Passenger Agent of the Henderson
Route, came down over his line last
week in the pay car. This was a trip
of inspection to see the agents and
shippers along the line with a view
to improving the service and finding
out by personal contact how things
were running and how the service
could be improved and the shipping
and traveling public better accommo-
dated. Mr. Irwin said to the News
that it was his desire to give his pa-
trons the very best facilities possible,
and that it was his aim also to build
up the business, bring more industries
and more people into this section. He
said he was in correspondence with a
large number of firms and corporations
who were looking for sites on which
to build factories, men who had money
to invest in farm lands and who
wanted to make profitable use of the
lands of other kinds. Mr. Irwin was
well pleased with the outlook along
his line. "The country through which
our line runs is all right," he said,
"plenty of resources on which to
build and make it not only good for
the road but for the patrons. What
the people need is just a little more
snap and push. Our road is always
ready and willing to help any enter-
prise that comes to our line. We claim
to give them the best facilities and
the lowest shipping rates. Mr. Irwin
is a genial gentleman, a fine railroad
man and has built up a nice business
for this road since he has been in
charge. The world's fair business over
the Henderson Route was double that
of any other route running out of Lon-
gview. They handled 10,000 people
and not an accident, not a scratch to
any man, woman or child. This is a
record of which Mr. Irwin is very proud.

A New Brand.

2, prominent Episcopal bishop of the
Episcopal church, according to the
Washington Star, was in the habit of
introducing among the Eskimos who
were his special charges many things
to amuse or interest them in order that
he might gain their attention to his
preaching. It happened, however, that
in spite of the various ingenious inven-
tions which he placed before them these
sons of the arctic regions continued
to be impressed by the white man's
caused food more than by anything
else he brought with him. Being un-
willing to eat the blubber and drink
the oil of the Eskimos, the white man
always came with many cans of meat
and vegetables.

One day the bishop above referred to
decided to spring a genuine surprise on
the natives. He had with him on this
trip a talking machine, with records in
the Eskimo tongue. He gathered his
charges all around him in the little
meeting house and started the machine
going. Everybody was certainly puz-
zled. At last a smile broke up the
face of one.

"A good white man," he said in glee.

The Kidneys

When they are weak, tor-
pid, or stagnant, the whole
system suffers. Don't neg-
lect them at this time, but
heed the warning of the
aching back, the bloated
face, the sallow complexion,
the urinary disorder, and
begin treatment at once with

Hood's Sarsaparilla

which contains the best and
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Woman's Visual Angle.

"Have you eyes in the back of your
head?" asked a country magistrate of
a woman, and the woman promptly
replied that she had. She was perfectly
right. Take any average man and
to the dress and deportment of the peo-
ple in any assembly where they were
together, and you will find that the
woman has seen more than the man
for woman has been compelled to en-
large the angle of her vision and to
see all around her hat without shifting
an eye.

From an early age instinct tells the
girl, and convention sets the instinct,
that she must not look directly at the
man in the street, therefore the latest
woman walks through London look-
ing straight ahead. The direct look at
the stranger is forbidden, yet human
curiosity compels, so develops and en-
larges that angle of vision, for no wo-
man will deliberately blind herself,
and therefore by continual exercise
those eyes which conventional eyes look
to the horizon and the infinite have
trained themselves to see the world out
of the corners—obliquely.—London
Chronicle.

Disquieting Suspicion.

"Do you enjoy your wife's teas and
receptions?"
"No," answered Mr. Cumrox, "to be
candid, I do not. I can't help harbor-
ing a suspicion that if I didn't happen
to be her husband Mrs. Cumrox
wouldn't consider me of sufficient so-
cial consequence to be invited."—Wash-
ington Star.

Tact.

George (nervously)—I'd like ever so
much to marry you, Kitty, but I don't
know how to propose. Kitty (promptly
and practically)—That's all right, George.
You've finished with me; now
go to papa.

Expected.

Landlady—The coffee, I am sorry to
say, is exhausted, Mr. Smith. Mr.
Smith—Ah, yes, poor thing. I was ex-
pecting that. I've noticed that for some
time it hasn't been strong.

Arms and the Man.

Winkle—Count Duello is a daring
adventurer. Twinkle—Yes; he ran
through a cool million without any
trouble.

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Be Ready For the Opportunity.

People are apt to think that, though
their actual lives are poor and self-
centered and such as they are half
ashamed of, if some great crisis
arose they would be able to gather up
their lagging will and raise themselves
to its height. Yes, no doubt. Only
life's sternest calls never come in an-
such fashion. Things don't arrange
themselves for us to gather up our fee-
ble will and settle with our souls that
we will be heroes. They come hardy
and sharply, testing not what we have
resolved to be, but simply what we are.
We have a sort of feeling that it is
the opportunity that makes the man.
Not so. The opportunity only shows
him for what he is, and the spirit of
prompt duty, of quick, instinctive loy-
alty to right under whatever tempta-
tion may ever come, may be cultivated
and grow to the very capacity for hero-
ism even in life's lowliest place and
poorest work.

Better Than a Shoehorn.

"Here is something I learned from
an Englishman I met while at a
'friend's house,'" said a lawyer. "The
house was in the suburbs, and we were
occupying the same room. I found I
had forgotten to bring a shoehorn and
asked the Englishman if he had one.
'No, I haven't,' he said. 'Why don't
you use a towel?' 'A towel? I replied.
Yes, a towel. Here let me show you.
Take a corner of the towel, so; lay the
point in the heel of your shoe, so; put
your foot in as far as it will go, right
on top of the towel. Now, grab the
towel and pull up on it. See how easy
your foot slides in? It's better than a
shoehorn.'"

Fairing in Parliament.

The custom of fairing is quite un-
known to the forms of parliament it
self. Any mention of it within either
chamber would be altogether out of
order, but there is a pleasant fiction that
it is a purely private arrangement
to be made at the discretion of those
concerned. This is true enough to a
limited extent and for a short time,
but pairing in any great party division
cannot be lightly carried out, and a
member who desires to pair at such a
time will find that this can only be
done safely through the white and not
at all unless some really good reason
can be given for absence.—London
Times.

Industry in His Calling.

Father—And so you want to marry
Mr. Brown, my dear. Well, now, do
you think he shows proper industry in
his calling? Daughter (indignantly)—
I should think so. Why, he's called
nearly every night for a month.

Love's Glowing Fire.

"Wasn't Jack Stone an old flame of
yours?"
"He was as long as he had money to
burn. After that I fired him."—Cleve-
land Leader.

Mrs. Harry Hamman was in Louis-
ville Friday.

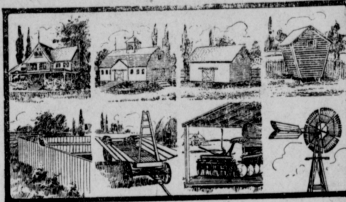
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Come in and see a full line of Heating Stoves.
Prices from \$2.50 to \$10.00. These are first-
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Steel Ranges, the best on the market from \$16 to \$25.

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If so, we want you to write to us about the lumber you will
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J.P. Will Co., LUMBERMEN
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.

English Superstitions.

At Davilsh, in Devonshire, England,
they ring the church bell during a
thunderstorm to scare away the light-
ning. Lancashire agricultural laborers
credit certain of their fellows with
power to cast good and evil spells. At
Dunstable men carry a live snail in a
pill box to ward off toothache, eat
steved earthworms as a cure for jaun-
dice and fried mouse for whooping
cough and cherish all the old supersti-
tions as to the devil which made Mer-
rie England sad.

Do Your Share.

A little thought will show you how
vastly your own happiness depends on

the way other people bear themselves
toward you. Turn the idea around and
remember that just so much are you
adding to the pleasure or the misery of
other people's days. And this is the
heart of the matter which you can con-
trol.—George S. Morison.

GIVE CHRISTMAS TREE.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bowmer enter-
tained all the children in their part
of town to a Christmas tree, at their
home Sunday afternoon. The parents
of the children accompanied them and
a most enjoyable time was had by all.

Geo. Wendelen went to Mayfield
last Wednesday to visit relatives.

All of Our CHRISTMAS GOODS AT HALF PRICE. SATURDAY'S BARGAINS

TO CASH BUYERS ONLY
FROM 1 P. M. UNTIL 2 P. M.

Any of our 6c calicoes per yard.....	4c	Men's jeans pants \$1 value, in sizes 33x35, 34x35, 34x34 at.....	50c
6 spools Clark's thread.....	25c	Men's fine pants, regular price \$2.50 at.....	\$1.50
2 spools Dragon thread.....	5c	Coaline Toilet Soap, 5c value, one bar to a customer.....	3c
C. B. Corsets, \$1 values in the following sizes: 18, 19, 20 and 21 at.....	50c		
40c Dress Gingham at.....	5c		

Babbage & Son, Cloverport, Ky.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.
Seven Million Boxes sold in past 12 months.

Cures Crip in Two Days.
on every box, 25c.

E. M. Linn

Don't forget the old man with the fish on his back. For nearly thirty years he has been traveling around the world, and is still traveling, bringing health and comfort wherever he goes. To the consumptive he brings the strength and flesh he so much needs. To all weak and sickly children he gives rich and strengthening food. To thin and pale persons he gives new firm flesh and rich red blood. Children who first saw the old man with the fish are now grown up and have children of their own. He stands for Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil—a delightful food and a natural tonic for children, for old folks and for all who need flesh and strength.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
105 Pearl Street, New York.
50¢, 75¢, and \$1.00; all druggists.

MANY ESCAPED.

In 6,000 Collisions and 4,800 Derailments of Trains, Past Year, 420 Were Killed.

The Interstate Commerce Commission, in its annual report, says a Washington dispatch, urges the regulation of railway rates by the federal government. It formulates plans to attain this object.

The monopoly caused by private freight cars in the transportation of fruits is dealt with, with a view to correcting the abuse.

The article in the report on railroad accidents opens with a table giving the principal totals for the years ending June 30, 1902, 1903 and 1904. There were 43,396 employees injured and 3,967 killed in 1904, as compared with 33,711 injured and 2,516 killed in 1902. The figures for 1903 are intermediate between those for 1902 and 1904. In 1904 there were 8,077 passengers injured and 430 killed; in 1903 6,087 injured and 303 killed; in 1902 there were 6,973 injured and 321 killed.

The increase in the number of deaths of passengers in train accidents in 1904, compared with 1903, is 64½ per cent. The fact that there were ten unusually disastrous accidents during the year is mentioned, with the statement that notes concerning the causes of these accidents will be found in the appendix to the report. The number of deaths resulting from these ten accidents, eight of which were collisions, is about 23 per cent. of the total number killed in all train accidents of the year, which comprise over 6,000 collisions and 4,800 derailments.

Although there has been earnest discussion of the subject in the public press, it is noticeable that the very magnitude of the questions involved appears to have produced some confusion, and in the multitude of causes assigned the real question in many cases has been lost sight of. The paramount requirement, as pointed out in the last annual report, is an effective measure for the prevention of collisions.

The commission recommends the universal adoption of the block-system signal as a preventive measure.

Beware of Counterfeits.

"DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve" writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala. "I have used it in my family for Piles, Cuts and Burns for years and can recommend it to be the best. Salve on the market. Every family should keep it, as it is an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for runaway accidents." Mrs. Samuel Gage, of North Bass, N. Y., says: "I had a fever some on my knee for twelve years that the doctors could not cure. All salve and blood rest was proved worthless. I could not walk for over two years. Finally was persuaded to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which has completely cured me. It is a wonderful remedy. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures without leaving a scar. Sold by All Druggists."

THE SUPREME HOUR.

On Nature's road,
Which sweetest is, stillness or sound?
Which is most music,
The song or the interval?
When the silence stirs, to be
A voice, a melody?
On Nature's way
Which faintest is, dawning or day?
Which would the nice eye choose,
The noon gold or the hues
When the shadow of the night
Wakes, smiling into light?
Beauty is brief
In midsummer or at springtide?
In June her solstice
Or when the pale mists be,
When the cold feels some warm power
At work, and, in a flower!
Or, when is bliss
The sweetest that is ever?
When the level one is at rest
Upon the lover's breast,
Or when he first may dare
To dream he feels her there?
John Vance Cheney in 'The January Century'

OPEN BALLOT—1905.

During the sessions of the last Legislature, Hon. Henry George, of Graves county, introduced a bill providing for submission to the voters of Kentucky the issue as to whether or not the secret ballot should be abolished and the viva voce method of voting restored. The bill became a law, is in effect today and will be voted upon in the November election of 1905.

Of course, it is understood that this change in the voting system can only be accomplished through constitutional amendment, and it is this amendment that will be voted on next November.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve
For Piles, Burns, Sores.

A "QUARE" LIFE OF IMPORTANCE

Led by Mountaineers—J. Proctor In Both Scientific and Practical Ways Are Conclusions Reached By Census Bureau.

J. Proctor Keith, who returned last week from Hazard, Ky., tells some interesting things about the life of Kentucky mountaineers.

There are two factions at Hazard, he says, and it is not good for a stranger to go there and not unite with one or the other of the two factions. And, "as does unite with one or express himself as being in favor with one faction, the other will cause him trouble on the least provocation. The Evermore faction is now in power. Members of this faction get together in an office in one part of the town, the French faction gathers elsewhere, and both look over catatognes of guns and talk fends, says Mr. Keith. Feuds seem to be a natural part of their existence. They talk of them and then teach it to their children, and it is the only game the children know how to play. They chase on sides and fight with toy pistols.

Mr. Keith noticed three expressions which, in particular, were used by the people of Hazard. He says that when puzzling over something they will say, "Well, what about it, now?" and repeat the question several times. A lack of civility, etc., is always called a note of candy, a poke of thorn. "Quare" is generally used for queer, and many other "quare" expressions are used.

A man is not arrested in Hazard or Perry county for the illicit sale of making of whiskey, except by state officers, but it is dynamite fish the county officers are sent to get him. Mr. Keith on questioning a resident of Hazard, he told that he did not know of a man in the county who didn't always carry a gun.

Hazard is about seventy-five miles from the headwaters of the Kentucky river. Logging is the principal industry.

No More Suffering.

If you are troubled with indigestion get a bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and see how quickly it will cure you. Geo. A. Thomson, of Spencer, Ia., says: "Have Dyspepsia for twenty years. My case was almost hopeless. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was recommended and I used a few bottles of it and it is the only thing that has relieved me. Would not be without it. Have doctor with local physicians and also at Chicago, and even went to Norway with hopes of getting some relief, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only remedy that has done me any good, and I heartily recommend it. Every person suffering with indigestion or Dyspepsia should use it." Sold by All Druggists.

WOMEN'S RURAL CLUB.

Northwestern University Society to Erect Summer House Near Chicago. On the bank of a small lake or stream within fifty miles of Chicago the Woman's Columbian club of Northwestern University settlement will erect a summer house for the organization, says the Chicago Tribune. By a large majority it recently decided to build the site and construct the house. No woman's club ever before has attempted to extend its work through the summer by moving its headquarters into the country, and by this innovation the women of the Columbian club hope to accomplish great things in the way of education. The site of the clubhouse has not been selected, but several places are in view, and the one which meets the following requirements will be chosen. The lake or stream must be shallow, so the women and children can go boating and swimming with safety. The water must have a sandy bottom, so the loss of the bathers will not be limited on stony shores or lowlands, and there must be no snakes. The forest surrounding the site must be primitive and abounding in wild flowers, to give the girls a sense of the wild. The land must be fertile, so flowers and vegetables can be grown by amateurs. There must be a village near the site, where supplies may be purchased cheaply. There must be some fishing.

Nearly all the money required to purchase the land and build the house has been subscribed, and the members pledged themselves to work to raise the rest by spring. The plan is to accommodate thirty families at a time. After the first thirty have enjoyed a two or three weeks' outing they will make room for the second thirty. Husbands and children will be invited to accompany the women to their rural clubhouse.

You Can Not

Defeat the bad odor coming from your own nose or head if you have Catarrh, but your wife or friends can. Do not disgust them by such trouble. Use Paracram. It will relieve instantly and cure or money refunded.

The average woman will give up everything for peace, who can explain why the men usually have their way.—Atchison Globe.

There are still David's herding sheep, Lincoln splitting rails, Garfield's working towpatis.—Bishop Warren.

A study in the proportion of sexes in the United States has been published by the Bureau of the Census.

More Males Than Females. Some of the conditions reached are of much scientific and practical importance, and may thus be summarized:

The whole population of continental United States was first counted with distinction of sex in 1850. During the seventy years from 1850 to 1900 the absolute excess of males was greater at each census than at any preceding census, with one exception that of 1870, when the excess of males was less than in 1850 and 1860.

This reduction of the excess of males between 1860 and 1870 by about 300,000 was due to the deaths in the Civil War and the diminished immigration during the decade.

In continental United States there are 1,338,321 more males than females, or about 2 in each 100 people.

Probably in the population of the world as a whole, and certainly in that half of it which has been counted with distinction of sex, there are several millions more males than females.

In contrast with United States, however, the relative excess of males is greater than the average for all countries.

More Females in Cities.

American cities as a rule have more females than males. In the 1,841 cities, each having in 1900 at least 2,500 inhabitants, there were 301,959 more females than males, and this notwithstanding the many western cities which contained more males than females and the enormous number of foreign born in the country, five-eighths of them male and a large proportion of them living in the cities.

Women Outlive Men.

Notwithstanding the great excess of males in the total population of the United States, there are 2 periods of life at which the reported number of females is greater. One extending from about 38 of years age to the end of life, is probably due mainly to the longer average life of women; the other, from 16 to 25, is probably a parent rather than real, and due mainly to the greater number of women who claim, erroneously, to be living in this age period.

More Girls in School.

In all races and in all parts of the country there has been a decided increase since 1890 in the proportion of females among persons attending school. This increase is due mainly to the increase in the proportion of young women among persons at least 15 years of age attending school, the increase at this age period being nearly five times as great as at any other and more than three times as great as the average increase for all ages.

In 1900 among each 1,000 persons at least 15 years of age attending school, 328 were male; in 1900 only 300 were male.

High Male Death Rate.

The death rate of males in the registration area of the United States in 1900 was 19.9 per 1,000, and that of females 16.4 per 1,000, the former having a death rate higher by about one-seventh than the latter. In the 346 registration cities the death rate of males was 20.0 and that of females 17.3 per 1,000; the male rate exceeding the female by one-sixth. In the rest of the registration area the male death rate was 15.8 and that of females 15.0 per 1,000 the male rate exceeding the female by one-eighth.

The difference in the death rate of the sexes is apparently least between the ages of 5 to 14 and greatest at the youngest and oldest ages.

When you want a pleasant purgative try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no nausea, griping or other disagreeable effect. For sale by Short & Haynes.

WINCHELL'S LETTER.

Rev. J. F. Winchell, of Tobinport, Ind., writes the Western Recorder as follows:

"I have just closed one of the best meetings at Hites Kan that it has been my privilege to hold for many years. There were 16 addresses to the church. Bro. W. A. Harrell, of Hardinsburg, did the preaching, to the entire satisfaction of pastor and people. His style is plain and forcible, a safe and sound preacher of the old Jerusalem Gospel. The church is now in better condition than it has been for many years. Those received during the meeting were influential citizens, which greatly strengthens the church financially. May the Lord continue to prosper his cause for His name's sake."

CASTORIA.
Beware the Signature
of *Chas. H. Plummer*



We sat at the table—the alderman, the doctor and I. The subject of dieting was brought up in conversation. "No man," said the alderman, "can tell me what I ought to eat without knowing my habits of life, my temperament and all — is that not so, doctor?" "Perfectly right," said he, "what suits your stomach may not fit mine, and yet nine men out of ten are presumptuous enough to tell you what you ought to eat." "Yes," said I, "they don't appreciate that there is just as great a difference between two men's stomachs as there is between their brains. Overwork some men's stomachs and they will easily respond to the task, just as some men's brains can take care of endless details, but the majority will break down with the overload." "Indigestion," said the doctor, "is not a disease but an admonition — it is the red light that signifies—danger. It is the language of the stomach to prepare for serious trouble if allowed to persist." Bitters and alcoholic medicines are poor means for stimulating the stomach to perform a larger share of work than it ought. The effect on the stomach is like the spur to the weary horse—it weakens him and shortens his life. A rational treatment," continued the doctor, "is moderate eating of wholesome foods, and only those which the person likes. Occasionally, say once a week, a dinner pill should be taken which should be entirely of vegetable ingredients — like Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets — that will not purge, but act gently on the liver, stomach and bowels. To my mind the main dependence for curing permanently the indigestion which has become chronic — the 'heart-burn,' the sour eructations, the worst cases of dyspepsia — is that alterative extract made from medicinal herbs that Doctor Pierce calls his 'Golden Medical Discovery,' for it contains no alcohol to overstimulate the stomach, but it simply goes to work in the right way—correcting the liver, purifying the blood and assimilating the food so that the stomach takes up its labors with activity and refreshed powers. It fills the arteries with the pure, rich, red blood of health. It tears down, and carries off of old, inert and half-dead tissues and replaces them by new. It builds firm, healthy flesh. It makes the muscles strong and elastic and steadies and tones the nerves. It cures debility and weakness of every description."

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WOMAN DID IT.

(Chicago Post.) It was predicted that the Senate committee on Territories would cut out the provision in the Statehood bill which prohibited woman suffrage. The committee cut it out. It was predicted also that the committee would provide for at least temporary prohibition of the sale of liquor in Indian Territory and Oklahoma when the two Territories entered, so to speak, a united state. The committee has just provided for ten years prohibition in Oklahoma and Indian Territory become one. Woman did it. This sentence of three words has been written so many times before concerning Senate measures which had lack of them the grace and the force of woman that it seems to stale on the pen. Senator Beveridge's committee has yielded to the gentle pressure in the matter both of the ballot and of the bottle.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. This remedy cures colds, coughs, croup, all eruptions leaving the money if it does not. W. E. Grove's signature is on box.

CHADWICK INDICTED.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 22.—Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick and his wife were indicted by the county grand jury this afternoon on the charge of having forged and uttered a \$5,000.00 note signed by Andrew Carnegie.

Dr. Chadwick is now on his way to New York from Paris. He is expected to land next Wednesday.

Sheriff Barry has made arrangements to secure Dr. Chadwick's extradition. He will meet the steamer on its arrival.

This is the third time Mrs. Chadwick has been indicted by the county grand jury, but the first instance her husband's name has appeared in the legal proceedings.

Mr. Chadwick was informed of the action of the grand jury and appeared not to be the least concerned. He declined to make a statement.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet powerful. 35c. at Short & Haynes Drug Store.

Looking up to the blue heavens above, murmured a prayer; then, handing it back to him said: "Now it is useless. It can say no one." He looked at her unbelievably. "Try it," she exclaimed. "Strike here!" He struck the blow where her finger rested full upon her heart. The keen blade went swiftly home, and she fell at his feet, exclaiming: "O God, receive my soul!" Then she lay dead.

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CASE OF CONSCIENCE.

Twelve years ago Lula Burdette, then a little girl, now a married woman, lost five cents while playing at the village school. The other day she received a letter from a woman named of California, but formerly a Kansas playmate, which was to this effect: "You will find enclosed 25 cents. You lost five cents at school one time. I found and kept it. When you told me that some one saw me find it, I decided it was along time ago, and I had covered it all up, but God arrested and troubled me on account of the sin."—Kansas City Journal.

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FOREVER GONE

Is Day Of Uncertainty For Farmer, But Still He Must Be Vigilant, Determined.

It is highly gratifying to note that the press of the country is beginning to see that farmers may do something to improve their system of marketing, and obtain better prices for their products, without any shock to general business, and without "starving," or even putting a hardship on crop consumers, says Up-To-Date Farming, official organ of the American Society of Equity. Some papers that were most outspoken in their opposition to the idea of farm prices for farm products, and of holding the crops until the prices were obtained, have long since retired from that position and have actually advocated holding. But it is true, many of them do it in a kind of half-hearted way, as though they could scarcely grasp the idea, or were fearful of trading upon forbidden ground, but they are coming to it all the same.

We did mean welcome, and urge them to come out fully and unequivocally. That one may doubt and hesitate when a great thing is proposed is not at all counter to the usual course of reasoning beings. Our fathers doubt when the telegraph was proposed, and we doubted when it was said that we might actually talk to persons miles away. It is not to be wondered at, then, that people should doubt when it was said if farmers in a united capacity could fix the price of their products, and put the speculative price makers out of business. But it is done and nobody has been hurt by it. When it is told us from the very highest commercial circles that wheat is refusing to come to the market except at a specified price, that, notwithstanding the immense crop of the present year, corn cannot be had to meet the heavy contracts of the speculators, that fully one-half of the cotton is being held on the plantations for prices that the traders were determined it should not bring, the most skeptical must admit that controlled marketing is here, and that it is having the effect we predicted it would—it could have no other.

The day is forever gone when the farmer must plant in doubt, creep in uncertainty and sell in despair. In his business there is as much certainty now as there is in any other business. It is true he must still wait on rains and fight the pests, but the merchant must wait for customers, the doctor for patients and the lawyer for clients. These put a price upon their services, and henceforth so does the farmer, and when the matter is understood, none will say him nay. But much still depends upon the farmer. Indeed it all depends upon him. The speculative world has not yet accepted the new condition of things. Whoever thinks the speculators will surrender their last opportunities without further struggle, are counting victory too cheap. No one knows better than they how to beg a question or divert a point. Farmers must be vigilant, persistent and determined. The fight is not a struggle, not a battle, not even a tiresome march. It is simply "stand still and see the salvation of the Lord."

tion of agriculture. Sell when you get the price; refuse to sell when you don't.

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AUTOMATIC COUPLERS.
In a decision handed down by Chief Justice Fuller in the case of Johnson vs. Southern Pacific Railway Company, the Supreme Court of the United States

practically holds that all cars, including locomotives, should be equipped with automatic couplers. The court also holds that dining cars cannot be exempted from the requirement of the safety appliance law when it is used, even though empty.

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SWEETNESS AND STRENGTH.

Denver News
Matthew Arnold has made familiar the words, "Sweetness and Light" as an expression for the highest results and the noblest culture. President Roosevelt recently used a similar expression, well worth popularizing. He said: "I wish to see in the average American citizen the development of the two sets of qualities which we can roughly indicate as SWEETNESS and STRENGTH—the qualities, on the one hand, which make the man able to hold his own, and those which, on the other, make him jealous for the rights of others just as much as for his own rights."

INSIDE FACTS ABOUT THOMAS TAGGART AND UREY WOODSON.

The New York Sun, in an article presenting alleged inside facts as to the recent Presidential campaign, has this, in part, to say of Tom Taggart, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, and Urey Woodson, its Secretary:

"Long prior to the holding of the convention it was announced by Judge Parker's friends that the Indiana delegation would be sold for Parker. How much money was used in solidifying the Hoosier delegation is of little consequence now, but Thomas Taggart, the Democratic boss of Indiana, secured \$10,000 for the support of his newspaper, the Indianapolis Sentinel.

"Though this ante-convention campaign was conducted with much secrecy, the average Democrat felt that Parker sentiment was manufactured by a machine, like ordinary footwear or sausages.

"I want \$50,000," said Taggart. "I want \$50,000, or my paper, the Indianapolis Sentinel, will go into bankruptcy," said Thomas Taggart at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Democratic National Committee, held in this city, a few days after he had been elected Chairman of the latter body.

"Taggart's demand for \$50,000 was met half way, so that in the campaign he received \$25,000, exclusive of the money furnished to pay his hotel bills, and to which reference has been

made; exclusive, also, of the money furnished to him for election expenses in Indiana.

Chairman Only in Name.

"Taggart's election was the first body blow received by the Democracy, and it was felt wherever the chances of the party were doubtful. Thousands, perhaps millions of Democrats, asked: 'Why did the committee elect him?' This question became more insistent when even the Democratic press spread broadcast stories of dissensions in the National Committee. Some of these stories contained details which made it plain to all who read them that Taggart was treated by his associates with contempt and that he was Chairman only in name.

Urey Known As "The Limit."

"The committee which elected T. Taggart as its Chairman chose Urey Woodson for its Secretary. His qualifications for the place were that he hailed from Owensboro, Ky., was the editor of a country newspaper and wore his back hair after the feminine fashion of the net period. It is but fair to add that Mr. Woodson did not wear a net, as his hair stood out like the butt end of a Japanese cedar.

"When Judge Parker secured quarters at the Hotel Seville, Mr. Woodson was for a time a frequent caller. His advances were received with politeness tinged with frost, and it is almost painful to record that he was referred to among the inner circle as 'The Limit.'

EXHIBITS RETURNED.

The first car, containing articles exhibited at the Kentucky Exposition, was received in Louisville yesterday by R. E. Hughes, secretary of the Kentucky Commission. Mr. Hughes has opened an office in room 45 in the American National Bank building at Third and Main streets, and with his assistants, is busily engaged in the work incident to the safe return of articles loaned by Kentuckians.

From a telegram received yesterday from the Bureau of Expedition in St. Louis, Mr. Hughes says that the entire Kentucky exhibit will have been returned to this State within twenty-five days after the closing of the exposition. Sixty days were necessary in which to transport the exhibits to St. Louis—Friday's Courier-Journal.

A Merry Christmas

To all those who have relieved and cured their aches and pains by the use of Paracanth, the wonderful external remedy, which never fails to do its work quickly and well.

PROSPECTS PLEASING.

R. W. Owen, candidate for State Senator, was in town Saturday. Mr. Owen has just made a canvass of the "lower end" and is well pleased with his prospects. He was accompanied by Sam Dix, one of Breckenridge's "wheel horse" Democrats—Meade County Messenger.

A Pleasant Pill.

No pill is as pleasant and positive as Dewitt's Little Early Risers. Dr. Dewitt's Little Early Risers are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people say they are the best liver pills sold. Sold by All Druggists.

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Contest will positively close on MARCH 22nd, 1905, which is five days before March 27, upon which day's receipts you are to estimate. The official figures will be known on the next day, or six days after the Contest closes, and prizes will be awarded immediately and no long time will occur waiting for the result.

Every subscriber to **The Breckenridge News** has a chance to share in these cash prizes.

How To Secure Guesses!

Every subscriber who remits \$1.00, the regular subscription price for a year's subscription to **The Breckenridge News**, will be entitled to one guess and will receive from us a corresponding number of certificates. These certificates will insure to him any prizes which he may win. When you send us your subscription also send us your guesses of the amount of money that will be paid into the Treasury Department at Washington, D. C. on the 27th day of March, 1905, which is the last Monday in the month.

I hereby certify that the Press Publishing Association has deposited Thirty-five Thousand Dollars in the Central Savings Bank, of Detroit, Michigan, for the express purpose of paying the prizes in its \$35,000.00 Treasury Receipts Contest, and that this fund can be used for no other purpose.
Cashier.

Here is a List Of The Prizes:

To the person whose guess containing the exact figures is received on or before February 28th, and before March 1st, 1905	\$5,000.00
To the person sending the nearest correct guess	\$1,000.00
To the person sending the second nearest correct guess	\$500.00
To the person sending the third nearest correct guess	\$250.00
To the person sending the fourth nearest correct guess	\$100.00
To the person sending the fifth nearest correct guess	\$50.00
To the next six, \$25.00 each	\$150.00
To the next twelve, \$10.00 each	\$1,200.00
To the next twenty-four, \$5.00 each	\$1,200.00
500 Prizes	\$35,000.00

Prizes are a life for any of the Special or First Six

